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1. Pensions.—The remaining the property of the carminal and adjudication of all claims arising under the various and adjudication of all claims arising under the various meterous laws passed by Congress granting bounty land or pensions the military or naval services in the revolutionary and subsequent is in which the United States have been engaged. He has one clerk, S. Cote, esq.,) and a permanent corps consisting of some only other clerks, to which Congress, to enable him to meet the accordinary requirements of the new bounty-land law, has added a porary force of about fifty clerkships of different denominations.

1. Indians.—Commissioner of Indian Affairs ad distrins, Charles E., of Georgetown, D. C. He is provided with a chief clerk and about en other subordinate clerks.

the Commissioner of Fublic Buildings. The hospital for the insane of the army and navy and of the listrict of Columbia is also under the management of this department; in addition to which, by laws recently passed, the Secretary of the Interior is charged with the construction of the three wagen roads leading to the Pacific coast.

The department requires an additional building for its accommodation, and the excetton of one has been repeatedly recommended during the last few years for that purpose. As present the Pension Office is provided with rooms in what is known as "Winder's Building," while the other branches of the department, including the Secretary's office, are all crowded into the Patent Office building, the whole of which will be required at an early day for the use of the Patent Office, for which it was eriginally intended. All commutations respecting for underly seater, and all commutations of law, or mail-locks and keys, should be d rected. "Chief Clerk, Post Office Department."

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The Treasury Department consists of the offices of the Secretary of the Treasury, two comptrollers, commissioner of the customs, six audiors, treasurer, register, solicitor, light-house board, and coust sur-

The Navy Department consists of the Navy Department proper, being the office of the Secretary and of five bureaus attached thereto, vis: Bureau of Navy, yards and Docks, Bureau of Construction, Equipment, and Bepuir, Bureau of Provisions and Ciothing, Bureau of Ordinance and Bydrography, and the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

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MRS. M. A. KNIGHT having taken the commodular down and well-known house, No. 447 Yenneylvania avenue, couth side, between 3d and 4½ streets, nearly opposite "Washington House,") is now causing it to be completely renovated, and fitted up with new and olegant furnitire, suitable for a first class boarding house."

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We, the undersigned, residents of in the State of increase, and greatly, sindly and everally coven and with the United States, and grunnity, in case the foregoing bid of be accepted, that he or they will, within ten days after the acceptance of the said bid, excuse the contract for the same, with good ands unitelest suresize to perform or furnish the articles proposed in conformity to the terms of the advertisement under which it was made. And in case the said shall fall to enter into contract as aforested, we guaranty to make good the difference between the offer by the said.